AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

Amend the Abstract as follows:

-- ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Drilling In a drilling method for creating a channel leading from surrounding soil into a shaft which is separated from the soil by a wall, said method comprising the following steps: drilling a channel is drilled through the soil from a starting pit in the direction of the shaft using a first drill head[[,]], drilling through the wall in this direction with the The first drill head continues to drill in this direction in order to create a breach in the wall, and changing from the first drill head to a second drill head is then used in the shaft[[, widening]] to widen the breach in the wall by drilling in the opposite direction with the second drill head.—.

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